

In the interest of
Democracy Sinclair
Broadcasting's
decision to force
their stations to
air an anti-Kerry
documentary days
before the election
runs against the
grain of fairness..

Sinclair uses the
public airwaves free
of charge, and is
obligated by law to
serve the public
interest. If they
plan to run this
'smear piece' they
should be mandated
to provide equal
time for the
opposition.

The FCC should have
enough control over
these stations to
force them to comply
with 'equal
time'..especially
involving a national
election such as
this.

Sinclair's actions
show why we need to
strengthen media
ownership rules, not
weaken them. They
show why the license
renewal process
needs to involve
more than a returned
postcard. Thank you.